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Applicant : Andrew M. Weiner                          Art Unit : 2638  
Serial No. : 09/865,028                              Examiner : Dzung D. Tran  
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Title : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR POLARIZATION CONTROL AND  
    POLARIZATION MODE DISPERSION COMPENSATION FOR WIDEBAND  
    OPTICAL SIGNALS

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 7, 2006, be extended for two months to and including July 7, 2006.

Enclosed is a check for \$225 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing 12818-003001.

Respectfully submitted,

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